



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Fritz LEBER  
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For : HYDRODYNAMIC CONVERTER WITH A  
PRIMARY CLUTCH  
Group Art Unit : 3681  
Examiner : Rodney H. Bonck  
Docket : ZAHFRI P592US

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**RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

[XXX] NO FEES ARE PAYABLE WITH RESPECT TO THIS RESPONSE.

In response to the official action mailed April 4, 2005, please enter the following before reconsideration of this application.

**In the Drawings:**

Please amend Fig. 2 of the drawings presently on file per the attached Submission. The Applicant respectfully requests deferment of formal entry of such drawing amendments until such time as the Examiner approves the requested drawing amendment.

**In the Specification:**

Please amend 016, 032, 035, 036 and 040 paragraphs of the specification as follows in which the specification additions are shown by underlining and the specification deletions are shown by strikeout. Please enter the replacement specification paragraphs into the record of this case.

**In the Claims:**

Please cancel claims 21, 25 and 27, without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter therein, in favor of new claims 33-40 and amend claims 17, 18, 20, 22-24, 26 and 28-32 as follows in which the claim additions are shown by underlining and/or the claim deletions are shown by strikeout or brackets. Please enter the amended claims into the record of this case.